



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Fumiya TERAKADO et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1733

Serial No.: **09/824,803**

Examiner: **Barbara J. Musser**

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For. **METHOD FOR PRODUCING A CONTINUOUS SHEET HAVING OPTICAL FUNCTIONS**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 18, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2002 for one month from February 20, 2003, to March 20, 2003.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a small entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

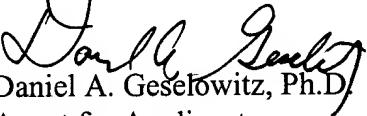
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